

REMARKS

Entry of this Preliminary Amendment is respectfully requested. This Preliminary Amendment amends the application to claim priority from U.S. Application Serial No. 10/797,944, entitled Method and System for Generation and Homodyne Detection, filed on March 11, 2004. On behalf of the applicant and the assignee, priority is hereby claimed from U.S. Application Serial No. 10/797,944, entitled Method and System for Generation and Homodyne Detection, filed on March 11, 2004.

The Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123.

Respectfully submitted,

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